

FISCAL NOTE

HB 2185 - SB 2379

February 16, 2000

SUMMARY OF BILL: Creates a Class E felony offense for use and possession of theft detection shielding device and theft detection remover. Also makes the activation of an anti-shoplifting device grounds for detention by the owner, operator, employee, or agent of the establishment.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase State Expenditures - \$9,000/Incarceration*

Estimate assumes two Class E felony convictions each year.

**Section 9-6-119, TCA, requires that: For any law enacted after July 1, 1986, which results in a net increase in periods of imprisonment in state facilities, there shall be appropriated from recurring revenues the estimated operating cost of such law.*

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "James A. Davenport". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first letters of the first and last names being capitalized and prominent.

James A. Davenport, Executive Director

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